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Applicant: Hong-Jyh Li

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Serial No.: 10/816,503

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Filed: April 1, 2004

Docket No.: I331.128.101/2004P51130US

Title: PLASMA ION IMPLEMENTATION SYSTEM

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## 1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

a. ☐ Previously submittedi. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_. (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief previously filed on  
\_\_\_\_\_.iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.b. ☒ Enclosedi. ☒ Amendment/Reply.ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS).iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.

## 2. Miscellaneous

a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 35  
C.F.R. §1.103(e) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3  
months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(f) required)b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.FEE  
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## 3. Fees (The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed).

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 500471.

i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e).

ii. ☐ Extension-of-Time fee (37 C.F.R. §1.136 and 1.17).

iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.

- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$0.00 is enclosed.

- c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2308 enclosed).

Respectfully submitted,

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The undersigned hereby certifies that this paper or papers, as described herein, are being transmitted via facsimile to Facsimile No. (571) 273-8300 on this 17 day of May, 2006.

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